

## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-3 (canceled).

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4. (New) A wallet card comprising:  
a thin, flat, substantially rigid substrate;  
a first area of the card carrying machine readable information;  
a magnifying lens disposed within the substrate in non-interfering relationship with the first area.
  5. (New) The wallet card of claim 4 wherein the wallet card comprises a financial transaction card.
  6. (New) The wallet card of claim 5 wherein the wallet card comprises a credit card.
  7. (New) The wallet card of claim 4 wherein the magnifying lens is a Fresnel lens.
  8. (New) The wallet card of claim 7 wherein the Fresnel lens comprises a series of contour lines formed in a surface of the substrate.
  9. (New) The wallet card of claim 4 further comprising:  
a source of illumination disposed at least partially within the substrate;  
a source of electrical current coupled to the source of illumination; and  
a switch for selectively closing an electrical circuit between the source of current and the source of illumination.
  10. (New) The wallet card of claim 9 wherein the source of illumination comprises an LED.
  11. (New) The wallet card of claim 9 wherein the switch comprises a pressure-sensitive switch disposed at least partially within the substrate.
  12. (New) The wallet card of claim 9 wherein the source of electrical current comprises a battery disposed entirely within the substrate.
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